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USING REVERSIBLE
EMBEDDED WAVELETS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2000, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS

Presented below are the amended claims in a clean-unmarked format.

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1. (Five Times Amended) A method for encoding input data comprising: